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Enclosed Supplemental Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/780,558 Attorney Docket No. BUR920000137US1

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Dear Examiner Rossoshek:

Enclosed is a Supplemental Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111, further to the Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 submitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on February 23, 2004. We request that you enter the enclosed Supplemental Amendment, which should place the above-referenced case in condition for allowance..

Thank you in advance for your kind consideration on this case.

Very truly yours,

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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1,111

Sir:

In response to a telephone interview with the Examiner on May 10, 2004, and further to the Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.111 filed on February 23, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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